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PsyBar, LLC, Opposer,	Opposition No.: 91198483 Serial No.: 85095429
v .	
David Mahony, PhD.,	
Applicant.	
	

AMENDED NOTICE OF OPPOSITION

Opposer, PsyBar, LLC, a Minnesota limited liability corporation with a business address of 5151 Edina Industrial Boulevard, Suite 675, Edina, MN 55439, hereby opposes registration of the mark PSYBARI that is the subject of application Serial No. 85/085,429, published in the Official Gazette of January 11, 2011, and requests that registration to Applicant be refused.

As grounds in support of its opposition, Opposer asserts as follows:

- 1. Opposer for many years has adopted and continuously used the term PSYBAR to promote the services offered through PsyBar, LLC. These services include, but are not limited to, providing scientific consultation, providing expert opinion, providing psychological assessment, analysis, testing, examination, evaluation of psychological and psychiatric tests, training and educating psychological examiners, vocational assessment, forensic assessment, and online education.
- 2. Opposer is the owner of Registration No. 1998368 for the mark PSYBAR for providing scientific consultation to the legal community, namely providing expert witness testimony, voir dire and scientific jury selection advice, and litigation strategy services. This registration is valid, subsisting, unrevoked, uncancelled, and enjoys the benefits of an incontestable mark. A true and accurate copy of this Registration is attached to this Amended Notice of Opposition.

These scientific consulting services rely upon and include psychological and psychiatric evaluations, and administering and evaluating psychological and psychiatric tests.

- Opposer, PsyBar, LLC, has used the mark PSYBAR at least as early as January 25, 2002 to identify the services of providing personality and other psychological testing for psychological purposes; providing psychological profiles and psychological record analysis and assessments; providing custom tailored reports about recommended resources and treatments associated with a defined set of symptoms and concerns; psychological assessment services; psychological testing; and psychological testing services.
- 4. Applicant, David Mahony, has filed an application to register the mark PSYBARI for personality testing for psychological purposes; providing psychological profiles and psychological record analysis and assessments via a website that are designed to provide custom tailored outputs about recommended resources and treatments associated with a defined set of symptoms and concerns; psychological assessment services; psychological testing; psychological testing services; and psychological tests. That application was filed on July 28, 2010 and was assigned Serial No. 85/095,429.
- 5. Applicant's mark so resembles Opposer's previously used mark PSYBAR and registered mark PSYBAR as to be likely, when applied to the goods or services set forth in Applicant's application, to cause confusion, mistake, or deception within the meaning of Section 2(d) of the Trademark Act.
- 6. Applicant's mark points uniquely and unmistakably to the identity and/or persona of PsyBar, LLC in that: (1) Applicant's mark is the same or a close approximation of PsyBar, LLC's previously used name and/or identity; (2) Applicant's mark would be recognized as the same as, or a close approximation of PsyBar, LLC; (3) PsyBar, LLC is not connected with the activities performed by Applicant under the mark; and (4) PsyBar, LLC's name and/or identity is of sufficient fame or reputation that when Applicant's mark is used on his goods, a connection with PsyBar, LLC would be presumed. All of these allegations support a claim of false suggestion of a connection in violation of Section 2(a) of the Trademark Act.

WHEREFORE, Opposer prays that the opposition be sustained and that registration to Applicant be refused.

Respectfully Submitted, PSYBAR, LLC

Dated:	May 18, 2011	By:	/s/ James J. Kretsch, Jr.	
			James J. Kretsch, Jr. (ID #0244399)	
			Opposer's attorney	
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I hereby certify that a true and complete copy of the foregoing Amended Notice of Opposition has been served on Applicant, David Mahony, PhD., by e-mailing said copy on May 18, 2011, via e-mail address: drdavidmahony@gmail.com.

/s/ James J. Kretsch, Jr.
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Registration Number: 1998368

Mark

PsyBar

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Standard Character claim: No

Current Status: The registration has been renewed.

Date of Status: 2006-11-13

Filing Date: 1995-10-10

Transformed into a National Application: No

Registration Date: 1996-09-03

Register: Principal

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LAST APPLICANT(S)/OWNER(S) OF RECORD

1. PSYBAR, LLC

Address:

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PSYBAR, LLC 5151 EDINA INDUSTRIAL BLVD. #675 EDINA, MN 55439 United States

Legal Entity Type: Limited Liability Company

State or Country Where Organized: (NOT AVAILABLE)

GOODS AND/OR SERVICES

International Class: 042 Class Status: Active

providing scientific consultation to the legal community, namely providing expert witness testimony,

voir dire and scientific jury selection advice, and litigation strategy services

Basis: 1(a)

First Use Date: 1995-06-22

First Use in Commerce Date: 1995-06-22

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PROSECUTION HISTORY

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2006-11-13 - First renewal 10 year

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